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In re Application of  
Richard D. Hull et al.  
Application No. 09/546,399  
Filed: April 10, 2000  
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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 2, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed April 2, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) has been obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on July 2, 2003.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 1631.

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